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Applicant : CHIEN
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DISPLAY
Group Art Unit : 2629
Examiner : J.J. Piziali
Docket No. : BHT/3214-255

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT
BASED ON FAILURE TO RECEIVE OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions the Commissioner for Patents to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above-identified U.S. patent application based on failure to receive an Office Action, as set forth in MPEP § 711.03(c) II.

On October 3, 2007, the undersigned submitted a response to an outstanding Office Action along with a Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorney and a Change of Address Form. Copies of the Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorney and Change of Address Form, and the cover sheet bearing the date-stamp of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office mailroom are attached hereto. At no time was the undersigned ever notified that the Revocation of Power of Attorney was not accepted by the USPTO.

Recently the undersigned learned that an Office Action had been mailed by Examiner Piziali on April 21, 2008. Copies of the front pages of the Office Action Mailed on April 21, 2008 and the Notice of Abandonment mailed on Oct. 30, 2008 are attached. As is apparent, both communications were mailed to the previous attorney. Neither communication was received by the undersigned.

Since the Office Action was mailed on April 21, 2008, the three-month due date for responding to the Office Action would have been on July 21, 2008, and the sixth-month deadline for responding to the outstanding Office Action would have been on October 21, 2008. The undersigned states that a review of the file did not yield any evidence that the Office Action of April 21, 2008 was received by the undersigned, and that a search of the regularly maintained docket records indicates that this Office Communication was not received. Attached hereto are copies from the docket records maintained by the undersigned for July 21, 2008 and October 21, 2008. The subject application does not appear on either of these records.

In summary, it is evident that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office mailed the Office Action of April 21, 2008 and the Notice of Abandonment of Oct. 30, 2008 to the previous attorney. Since these documents were not received by the undersigned following a proper submission of a Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorney and a Change of Address Form, it is requested that the holding of abandonment of this application be withdrawn and that the subject Office Action be resent to the undersigned.

It is not believed that any fee is required by this petition.


Application No. 09/772,897

The undersigned has recently moved and has included herewith a Change of Correspondence Address form with the latest address for the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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